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Group Art Unit 2837

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In re

Patent Application of

William L. Mehlhorn

Application No. 10/615,815

Confirmation No. 1441

Filed: July 9, 2003

Examiner: Shik, Luen Paul

"SWITCH ASSEMBLY, ELECTRIC  
MACHINE HAVING THE SWITCH  
ASSEMBLY, AND METHOD OF  
CONTROLLING THE SAME"

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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	INDEP. CLAIMS	6	MINUS	6	0	X \$88	0.00
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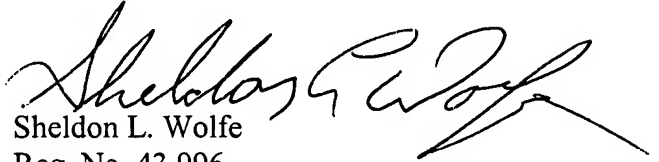
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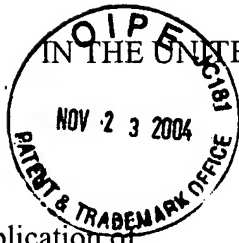
  
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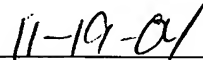
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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

This communication responds to the Office action dated October 15, 2004. Please amend the application as follows:

- Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.